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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:	)
George WEINERT	)
Appln. No.: 09/646,415	) Group Art Unit: 1711
Filed: March 29, 2002	) Examiner: N. Nutter
	TO THE PARTY OF THE PROPERTY O

For: PROCESS FOR REDUCING PROTEIN ALLERGENS IN LATEX PRODUCTS

## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 RECEIVED 0CT 2 0 2003 TC 1700

Sir:

A response to the Office Action dated June 10, 2003 (Paper No. 11) was due by September 10, 2003. A Petition for Extension of Time (one month, large entity) is enclosed, extending the date to October 10, 2003. Therefore, please accept this Request for Reconsideration as timely filed and fully responsive.

## REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application, and reconsideration of the Office Action dated June 10, 2003 (Paper No. 11). Upon entry of this Request for Reconsideration, claims 1-25 will remain pending in this application. No new matter is incorporated by this Amendment.

Applicant gratefully acknowledges the Examiner's confirmation that claims 2, 3, and 5-25 are allowed.